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RAILWAY SANITATION

The advance of the railways of the country in applied sanitation has been marked. When one recalls the conditions allowed to exist in railway cars twenty years ago the present state of cleanliness is comparatively satisfactory. The railways are indeed to be commended for their gradual introduction of hygienic regulations that keep their cars, in spite of the numbers of people who travel in them every day, in a state that is not likely to endanger health. There remains, however, one phase of railway sanitation that will soon have to be dealt with. Though it is a difficult phase, there is no doubt that improvement of present conditions must come without delay. It would seem to be better for the railways to take up the problem of their own initiative rather than be forced into it by legal regulation. This is the present mode of disposing of the sewage of trains. In former years when population was less dense and when trains were not nearly so frequent and crowded, it was perhaps not so much to be deprecated that the railways should scatter sewage over the right of way. Now that railways cross thickly populated tracts of territory, and express trains pass through towns of considerable size without stopping, the crude disregard of hygiene in this matter is entirely out of keeping with present-day sanitary science, particularly as the railway rule is to have the toilets locked only during the times of stopping at stations, which gives opportunity for the scattering of offensive material, distinctly dangerous to health, even on the streets of towns. Railways frequently cross streams that are connected with water-supplies, and the present custom may well prove a source of contamination of drinking-water. It will not be long, says The Journal of the American Medical Association, before the general public wakes up to this serious danger.

NO PLACE LIKE MISSOURI

We often hear about Missourians leaving for other regions, but we seldom learn what they really think after they have become acquainted with their new homes. A former Missourian who has moved to California writes the Missouri Ruralist: "I can't see that they make any more on their orchards than the farmer when you take into consideration the interest on the valuation of from \$1,500 to \$2,500 per acre, besides the great expense in irrigating, tending and picking, yet that is all the land is good for. If this same land laid in Missouri and was government land one half of it would not be filed on as it is worthless without water on it. I do not want any orange or lemon orchard. I want to see some Missouri snow. Outside of the climate, which is truly great here, I can find nothing unless it is the fine roads here that would make me want to stay."

Wm. Estes has moved to Monett from Pleasant Ridge. He traded his farm for Pete Hammock's place in town.

CORN DEMONSTRATION FARMS ESTABLISHED

Friscos Agents Selecting Many Tracts In Southern Missouri

B. W. White, farm demonstrator for the Frisco department of agriculture and horticulture, will the latter part of the week depart on a tour of the Frisco during which he will establish ten corn demonstration farms. The object of this phase of department on which Frank Anderson, director of development, is so much emphasis, is to show the farmers which variety of corn is the most suitable to his soil and to demonstrate to him its care. After the crop is harvested the grower is given a market for his product.

Mr. White has established about 35 corn demonstration farms. The following is a list: Clinton, E. C. Witzke; Osceola, Frank Husted; Bolivar, Joseph Brant; Ozark, H. G. Lawing; Lebanon, J. D. Lambeth and G. T. Aycock; Monett, Wimsat Brothers; Lamar, R. T. Sheppard; Golden City, J. D. Stuart; Lockwood, John Lovett; South Greenfield, W. P. Finley and Ayers and Litchfield; Mountain Grove, W. E. Lyons; Cabool, D. M. Nafford; Peirce City, Simon Baumgartner; Neosho, R. B. Sudy; Seneca, D. N. Stafford; Carthage, James Murto; Greenfield, Commercial club to place two farms; Aurora, two farms to be placed by the Commercial club.

HISTORY STUDY CLUB

The History Study club met last night at the home of Miss Nellie Mills. Ten members were present out of thirty-two, many being prevented by sickness and the inclement weather.

Because of the sickness of the president, the vice president took charge of the meeting. After the routine business the first lesson was considered with Rev. J. G. Knotter as leader, followed by the second under the leadership of Miss Nellie Mills.

Everybody present agreed that the "Progress of Nations" used as textbook, is of superior merit, simple and direct, yet comprehensive. The dry bones of History were certainly made alive during the study of the lesson and the members were surprised to note the advanced hour when the lesson was over.

The next meeting of the Club will be March 31, at the home of Mrs. Leckie, when the president, F. P. Sizer, will lead the study of the third lesson. We earnestly invite all thoughtful people to avail themselves of this opportunity to acquire real culture and so to fit themselves for the business of life.

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DIED

Julia May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ellis, died at their home on Marshall Hill Monday night of pneumonia, from which she had been ill for a week. The child was four years old. Interment was made at Clay Hill cemetery.

Quite a local disturbance is reported from McDonald county. It seems the wife of a Mr. Thomas of Bentonville, Ark., was visiting her parents a Mr. and Mrs. Slusher near Bethpage. Her husband wanted her to come home. She refused. He got a switch and tried to "persuade" her. Her mother interfered and he persuaded her some too. The father got his shot gun and took a couple of shots at him. This annoyed his son-in-law, so it is said he took the gun away from the old man and beat it to pieces over his head. The son-in-law is in jail, the old man in bed, and it is said the women folks are "plumb frustrated."—Stella Record.

Mrs. M. E. Lautzenhiser is ill with an attack of grip.

Little Marie Burns has an attack of Measles.

O. P. Shaffer's condition is a little improved today.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carriers came home from Joplin, Wednesday.

Mrs. A. S. Hawkins will leave tonight for a visit in Kansas City.

Will McMillan, of Peirce City, attended the dance, Wednesday night.

Mrs. H. P. S. Burke has an attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gurley, of Purdy, attended the dance here, Wednesday night.

Col. and Mrs. Raupp and Miss Anna Buckner, of Peirce City, attended the dance here Wednesday night.

Miss Effie Burris, of Purdy, and Miss Gretchen Ormstrong, of Neosho, attended the O. R. C. dance Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tuggle, of Sedalia, who had been visiting relatives here, left Thursday to visit relatives in Peirce City.

The Weather Clerk has proven conclusively that the Second-of-February Ground Hog is a first class prevaricator.

Mesdames J. E. O'Brien and C. P. Glass went to Springfield Thursday to attend a meeting of the L. A. to B. of R. T.

Mrs. Clark, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. A. S. Hawkins, left Thursday for her home in Oklahoma City.

Mesdames S. A. Mott, W. J. Mein, W. E. Marion, Walter Draper, J. S. Campbell, D. J. Randolph, B. P. McCaslin and Fred Folger and Miss May Randolph went to Peirce City Thursday noon to attend the Rebekah district meeting. The Monett team will put on the initiatory work at night.

Marriage Licenses.

John S. Capps	Exeter
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Erma Thomas	Leann
Robert S. Dummit	Purdy
Ova Stogdale	Cassville
Robert L. Hughes	Beloit
Valeria Jones	Peirce City
James L. Pratt	Monett
Maud Rice	Monett
Bert Elsey	Exeter
Pearl Davidson	Exeter
W. A. Davis	Oacoma, S. D.
Mary E. Gray	Cassville
Frank W. Jennings	Joplin
Daisy Crotty	Joplin
John A. Doty	Cllo
Pearl Seagraves	Cllo

The St. Louis Advertising Men's League is preparing to issue 150,000 copies of a guide and book of information regarding that city. The expense of issuing the edition will be \$10,000.

Stella is to have a Trades Day, the first Saturday in April. An auctioneer has been secured and as the Record says, "anything from a settling of the old blue hen's eggs to your best span of fine mules," will be sold free of cost.

Sedalia has called a mass meeting to determine what steps to pursue regarding the new law providing for a commission form of government. If the mass meeting favors the plan it is the intention to hold a special election on the question within the next sixty days. There is a strong sentiment in favor of the new law.

Many inquiries are being made relative to the municipal commission law recently passed by the state legislature. The TIMES has ordered copies of the law and will soon be in possession of the same. The measure is meeting with favor in Monett and we predict that petitions for a special election will be circulated as soon as the bill is signed by the governor.

The bill which has passed the Missouri House, giving justices of the peace the right to parole persons fined and who have no money with which to pay the fine, under terms by which their earnings should go to liquidate the fine, gives indication of a new light beginning to shine in Missouri. Under our ancient and honorable system, when the state fines a man and he can not pay, he is put in jail until the state has expended upon his keep as much more as the amount of the fine, to the financial loss of the state and the demoralization of the man, and with very little to enter on the credit side of the account as an offset.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

The advocates of good roads are much encouraged over the intelligent and comprehensive system of road building which will follow as a result of measures enacted by the present legislature. The movement has been void of any selfish interest, and are intended to benefit no particular section of the State to the detriment of any other. The State Highway commission will take in hand the development of roads for all sections. The Governor may be counted upon to give this department the same broadminded support that he is giving to other departments of the state, and to lend his best efforts towards the attainment of some tangible and actual results in road building. Missouri has entered upon a new era of improvement, and the people are in favor of good roads.

Dr. T. E. Hastings returned Thursday morning from Kansas City. He reports Mrs. F. M. Hall doing nicely after an operation for fistula abscess at the German Hospital Wednesday.

Governor Major sent the following message to both houses of the legislature on Thursday of this week: "In the matter of progressive legislation you are abreast of the times and stand in the forefront of all the legislatures in the United States that have been in session this winter." He called attention to the fact that the only platform pledge not kept is the enactment of a workmen's compensation law, which the shortness of time prevented. "But I am glad to see you have prepared the way by creating commissioners to continue the consideration of this and other questions and report to the next legislature," added the Governor. "You have labored constantly and faithfully from the day of your organization until these closing hours and your deliberations have been absolutely free from small or petty politics or considerations. As chief executive, I desire to compliment you upon your work, and to thank you for the consideration shown the executive department and the recommendations made by me in my inaugural address, and to further thank you for the great services you have rendered the people."

The State Capitol Commission Board this week advertised the letting of the first contract on the new building April 21st. This advertisement was inserted immediately following the passage of a bill by the present general assembly giving the commissioners the right to proceed with the work, the measure adopted by the people making it imperative that they wait until the entire building was ready to be let before any contracts could be entered into. The foundation is to be completed by Sept. 1, and also the power house and tunnel about the same time. The architects announce that the Missouri capitol will be constructed and ready for occupancy in less time than any capitol heretofore erected. The capitol commissioners and the present administration are working in harmony to complete the capitol within the next three years.

Mrs. P. L. Freeland and Mrs. Albright, of Purdy, were in Monett, Thursday on their way to Peirce City.

Mrs. E. M. Brockett, of Springfield, visited Mrs. A. G. Walker, Wednesday.

Earl Smith had the misfortune to run a pitchfork in his foot, making quite a serious wound.

Earl Cox and Dutch Combs, of Purdy, were in Monett Wednesday.

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